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ANNUAL INSPECTION — WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 1959



STATED CONCLAVE OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple

51 Boylston Street, Boston

Wednesday - January 21, 1959 - 5:45 P. M.

THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE

will be transacted immediately after opening

Ballot on Petitions of:

Frank Herman Peterson of Medford, sponsored by Em. Sir C. D. Harrington and for affiliation: Sir Kt. William J. Mitchell of Brookline, sponsored by Sir Kt. F. W. L. Miles, and such other applicants as may be eligible.

WORK

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in full form and Order of Malta on the following, and any Companions eligible.

Paul T. Souliotis	Hugh S. Conaughty	Charles G. Keumurian	Aubrey C. Rhodes
Francis D. Hatch	William L. Locke	Howard C. Connor	William J. Rhodes
Brenton W. Millbury	Louis Steinberg	Alfred Legelis	Jay M. Finn
Nelson E. Bragg	Edward A. Loring	Thomas L. Harris	Olaf C. Jensen
Walter G. Smith Jr.	Matthew R. Dwyer	Kenneth A. Tweedie	Frank H. Peterson

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross will be under the accomplished direction of Em. Sir James C. Bayley.

DINNER AND ENTERTAINMENT AT 6:30 P. M.

Members \$1.50                      Reservation by card ONLY                      Guests \$3.00

Completion of Work 8 P. M.

Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Recorder                      Howard L. MacOdrum, Commander

Rehearsal Tuesday January 6 for Guards, Escort, and Substitute Guards  
Rehearsal Monday January 19 Members of Red Cross Team only.  
Thursday January 15. Officers and Guards with Blue Lodge Team at Rabboni Lodge  
Saturday January 31 Joint Conclave of De Molay and Hugh de Payens Commandery at Haverhill for working of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, including the Feast of Belshazzar, and the Order of Malta, in full form. Boston Commandery candidates elected by but not worked on January 21 are eligible.  
Wednesday February 18 Stated Conclave. Order of the Temple.  
Friday February 23. Officers and Guards with Blue Lodge Team at Loyalty Lodge.

Sir Kt. Elmer Read of 11 Highland Road, Belmont, ill for many months, would welcome a brief call.

DUES: 1959 dues are in arrears as of January 1, 1959. Are YOU numbered among the 80 per cent of our membership already square with the books?

IN MEMORIAM

Since our last notice we regret to report advices that the following additional Sir Knights have passed to their reward:

Sir Kt. Irvin E. Peak of Osterville, born June 12, 1871. Knighted Dec. 18, 1895  
Died Nov. 8, 1958.

Sir Kt. James M. Park Jr. of Maine, born August 11, 1897.  
Knighted Dec. 11, 1925  
Died Dec. 17, 1958

Suggestion Acted Upon!

Following "Suggestion" in our December notice, another Past Commander, --who a few years back established something of a reputation as official historian, --now rated as a Life Member, forwarded his \$1 Eye Foundation assessment PLUS a check for \$50 as a donation to Boston Commandery's Endowment Fund representing annual dues for 5 years.

Christmas Spirit

No less than 186 Sir Knights joined in Holiday fellowship at our annual Christmas Party on December 17. We are even more thrilled and proud to report, that in addition to the 191 donations already acknowledged by list published in our December notice, your Eminent Commander now gratefully acknowledges the following 96 additional contributions to the 1958 Boston Commandery Christmas Cheer Fund. Distribution was made under his direction to bring some measure of happiness, good cheer, and thoughtful remembrance to those who might most appreciate this Templar recognition of the true significance of Christmas Day.

Ackerman, A. B.	Davis, B. S.	Harper, R. C.	Luther, G. P.	Stenmark, B. S. A.
Austin, M.	Davis, R. H.	Haugland, J. R. M	Marsden, C.	Stewart, H.
Barclay, R.	Daye, P.	*Heidrich, H. E.	Marsh, A. B.	Stewart, W. J.
Berquist, J. W.	Drew, D. B.	Hemenway, G. W.	McNeil, G.	Swide, A.
Blazo, R. E.	Duncan, F. B.	Heuer, M. H.	Miles, F. W. L.	Sylvester, V. G.
Borek, G. S.	Eastman, B. S.	Higgins, M. E.	Mumler, W. H. Jr.	Syverson, D. W.
Bowering, S.	Emery, B.	Hodgson, H.	Nelson, C. S.	Tirrell, A. L.
Boyajian, D. H.	Farnham, L. P.	Homsey, A. E.	Nelson, G. H.	Thorburn, R. S.
Boynton, G.	Ferguson, T. J.	Hutchinson, J. M.	Odell, W. A.	Thornton, F. T.
Briggs, F. A.	Foster, R. D.	Jakimedes, G.	Perry, B. W.	Turner, C. B.
Bruce, A. M.	Fudge, E. W.	Joslin, R. D.	Perry, H. R.	Tsacoyeanes, P. W.
Butler, Dr. P. F.	Garabedian, J. N.	King, N.	Poor, G. M.	Wentworth, D. W.
Buttrick, D. H. Jr.	Geddes, H. W.	Kolligian, G.	Ronbeck, J. E.	Whitham, G.
Cameron, S. W.	Gibbons, G. W.	Laird, J.	Sackley, G. C.	White, B. C.
Chase, P.	Greendige, R. S.	Leland, A.	Savage, F.	Wilson, G. A.
Christenson, J. A.	Griffiths, C. E.	Libby, R. V.	Skinner, C. W.	Woodbury, L. H.
Coates, G. L.	Gustin, L. C. Jr.	Lincoln, F. H.	Sodergren, H.	Zepp, E. W. K.
Coles, H.	Haley, H. M.	Linscott, F.	Spargo, G. A.	Anonymous
Congdon, H. A. Jr.	Hayea, F.	Lorey, A. H.	Stavropoulos, W.	Anonymous
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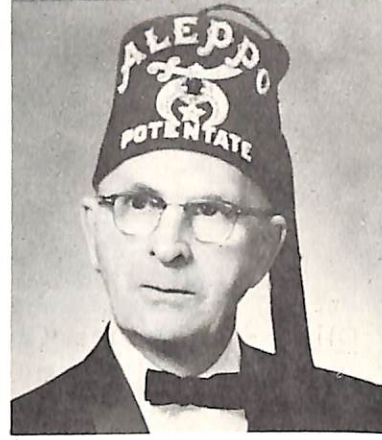
Sir Kt. Eugene P. Carver Jr.  
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## STATED CONCLAVE OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple

51 Boylston Street, Boston

Wednesday - February 18, 1959 - 5:00 P. M.

## THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE

will be transacted immediately after opening

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### ORDER OF THE TEMPLE

entitled:

Hugh S. Conaughty  
William J. Locke  
Matthew R. Dwyer  
Charles G. Keumurian  
Louis Steinberg

Howard C. Connor  
Alfred Legelis  
Kenneth A. Tweedie  
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Frank H. Peterson  
Cyrus A. Jordan  
Edmond E. Hanson  
William J. Rhodes

### Dinner & Entertainment

Members \$1.50

Reservation by card ONLY

Guests \$3.00

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr.  
Recorder

Completion of the Work

Howard L. MacOdrum,  
Commander

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REHEARSAL - Order of the Temple - Monday, Feb. 16.

Tuesday, Feb. 17 Shrine Night, 1959 ICE FOLLIES, BOSTON GARDEN

Monday, Feb. 23. Officers & Guards at Loyalty Lodge.

Dress rehearsal at 4 P. M.

Wednesday, March 18. ANNUAL INSPECTION. You are needed for the count.

Wednesday, April 15, Red Cross & Malta

Saturday, June 13, All Masonic Night, Boston Garden.

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DUES - 1959 dues were in arrears on Jan. 1. Don't be one of less than 200 Sir Knights  
out of our membership of over 1200 who have not yet paid.

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### IN MEMORIAM

Sir Kt. Edmund H. Talbot of Boston, who died Jan. 15. Born Nov. 3, 1867. Member of  
Boston Commandery since Jan. 15, 1894. Oldest past Worshipful Master of St. Johns  
Lodge, he was in his 95'th year.

Em. Sir Lorin E. Lewis of Dorchester, who died Jan. 18 Eminent Commander 1940-1941.

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Rev. Sir Kt. Morton D. Dunning, our Prelate Emeritus, acknowledges Christmas greetings.  
At Hungary Road, Granby, Connecticut, our esteemed Sir Knight spends no evenings out, but  
would gladly hear from you.

Sir Kt. Harold Martin welcomes Boston news at 722 Virginia St., Dunedin, Florida.

Sir Kt. Albert E. Roberts of 111 Monatiquot Ave., Braintree, following hip fracture, has  
been at South Shore Hospital, South Weymouth.

Em. Sir Gustav A. Schlaugh this year serves as D. D. G. M. of the Chelsea Masonic District.

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Thursday evening, Jan. 15, no less than 32 of your officers and guards in full uniform were  
guests of Rabboni Lodge at Uphams Corner, Dorchester, rendering an excellent display of  
Inspection & Review for the benefit of 58 brethren of Rabboni Lodge and 41 visitors. Our  
Eminent Commander gave the closing ritual of the flags. Rt. Em. Sir Wilson spoke on the  
York Rite.

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Compliments on the work of our Red Cross Team & Order of Malta, under the direction of  
Em. Sir James C. Bayley, on Jan. 21, especially Sir Kt. Ralph L. Thomas in his first  
rendition of Zerrubbabl.

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### INSPECTION.

Don't fail to stand up and be counted at Annual Inspection on Wednes-  
day, March 18.



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\*Rt. E. Sir Winslow Lewis 1844-46  
\*Rt. E. Sir John Rufus Bradford 1846-48  
\*E. Sir Samuel Pearce 1848-50  
\*Rt. E. Sir Daniel Harwood 1850-57  
\*Rt. E. Sir William Ellison 1857-61  
\*E. Sir John Kettell Hall 1861-64  
\*E. Sir Wyzenan Marshall 1864-66  
\*E. Sir Charles Chase Dame 1866-67  
\*E. Sir Charles Edward Powers 1867-69  
\*E. Sir William Sayward 1869-71  
\*E. Sir Henry Endicott 1871-73  
\*Rt. E. Sir Samuel C. Lawrence 1873-75  
\*E. Sir Samuel Mason, Jr. 1875-77  
\*E. Sir James Humphreys Upham 1877-79  
\*E. Sir Jacob Francis Lotts 1879-81  
\*E. Sir John Lindsay Stevenson 1881-83  
\*E. Sir Edwin Wright 1883-84  
\*E. Sir Frederick Towne Comee 1884-86  
\*Rt. E. Sir Eugene H. Richards 1886-88  
\*E. Sir James Mellen Gleason 1888-90  
\*E. Sir Eugene Alexander Holton 1890-92  
\*E. Sir Leonard Bailey Nichols 1892-93  
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\*E. Sir Henry Howland Litchfield 1895-97  
\*E. Sir William Badger Lawrence 1897-99  
\*E. Sir John Gilman Waite 1899-00  
\*E. Sir John Henry Bowker 1900-02  
\*E. Sir Rinaldo Buren Richardson 1902-04  
\*E. Sir Richard Arey Atwood 1904-06  
\*E. Sir Charles Stanhope Damrell 1906-08  
\*Rt. E. Sir James Stone Blake 1908-10  
\*E. Sir Jesse Edwin Ames 1910-12  
\*E. Sir Albert R. Stedfast 1911-12  
\*E. Sir Leonard Warren Ross 1912-13  
\*E. Sir Frederick Claridge Graves 1913-14  
\*E. Sir Joseph Totten Paul 1914-16  
\*E. Sir George Urban Bauer 1916-18  
\*E. Sir Charles William Howard 1918-20  
\*E. Sir Walter Bradley Tripp 1920-21  
\*E. Sir Wm. J. Kavanaugh 1921-22  
\*Rt. E. Sir Frederick H. Briggs 1921-23

*Captain of the Guard*

SIR ROWLAND D. CROOK

*Lieutenant of the Guard*

SIR HENRY B. ROBERTSON

*Guards, Escort and Red Cross Team*

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E. Sir Thomas Davidson 1925-26  
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E. Sir Frederick B. Duncan 1926-27  
E. Sir Amos W. Crooks 1926-27  
E. Sir Henry E. Keough 1927-28  
\*E. Sir Charles Lyman Hamilton 1927-29  
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E. Sir Harold A. Budreau 1929-30  
E. Sir John R. Vaughan 1929-30  
\*E. Sir William Parker Bullard 1929-31  
E. Sir Clarence N. Marsden 1931-32  
\*E. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson 1931-33  
E. Sir Frederick T. Thornton 1932-33  
E. Sir Hans C. Kleemann 1932-33  
E. Sir S. Franklin Bell 1933-34  
E. Sir William A. Odell 1933-34  
\*E. Sir Elmer Granville Page 1933-35  
E. Sir Gustave A. Schlaugk 1934-35  
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E. Sir Stephen E. Kirkpatrick 1939-40  
E. Sir Lorin Elliott Lewis 1940-41  
E. Sir Walter Earl Duncan 1941-42  
E. Sir Frank Brown Ellis 1942-44  
E. Sir Wallace E. Crowley 1944-46  
E. Sir Fred H. Wilcke 1946-47  
E. Sir Alfred Colcord Blake 1946-48  
E. Sir Herman C. McStay 1947-49  
E. Sir William M. Heiligmann 1949-51  
E. Sir James C. Bayley 1951-52  
E. Sir John Reid 1952-54  
E. Sir Charles D. Harrington 1954-56  
\*Deceased

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ORGANIZED 1802

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ANNUAL INSPECTION — WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 1959



## SPECIAL NOTICE

Your presence for the official count at 8 P. M. is needed for the MARK. Your attendance on this particular evening is of great importance to your Commandery and its officers. This is the night we are scored both on the excellence of our work and the support of our membership. Last year Boston Commandery failed to receive the mark to which it was entitled largely because of insufficient official attendance. A loss of 50 points on the count is an almost impossible handicap to overcome. If you have other engagements for the evening you can be excused right after the count is taken at 8 P. M. Stand up and be counted. Boston Commandery needs you.

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr., Recorder

Howard L. MacOdrum, Commander

March 16 Dress Rehearsal for Officers & Guards 5:45 P. M.  
 April 10 Grand Commandery Ball  
 April 15 Red Cross & Malta. Get that application in for this final Spring class!  
 May 1 Aleppo Temple Shrine Ceremonial  
 June 13 All Masonic Night, Boston Garden

## IN MEMORIAM

Em. Sir Lorin Elliott Lewis, born Sept. 4, 1878, became a member of St. John's Lodge of Boston on June 21, 1911, and St. Andrews Chapter on May 6, 1924. He was knighted in Boston Commandery on June 15, 1927, and served as Eminent Commander 1940-1941. For years he was a member of the Second Platoon of the Aleppo Temple Shrine Patrol. He died in Dorchester on January 18, 1959, and the provisions of his will again disclose some of the kindly, charitable, and thoughtful qualities of this quiet, unassuming, Christian Knight. To the Second Congregational Church in Dorchester he left \$2500; to the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children at Springfield \$1000; to Robert Brigham Hospital \$1000; and to Boston Commandery \$1000.

In our February notice we quoted the phrase: "They said it couldn't be done," and we went on to state: "But Sir Knights of Boston Commandery did it in 1959", --- with the Grand High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter, the Grand Master of the Grand Council of Royal & Select Masters, the Grand Commander of Knights Templar, and the Illustrious Potentate of Aleppo Temple of the Shrine, all Sir Knights of Boston Commandery! Also, with an assist by the printer, it seems we really produced, -- promoting Em. Sir Fred Duncan to a Right Eminent, and inventing a new and unpronounceable name for Zerubbabel.

Sir Kt. Douglas Foster, now of 1400 McGinley Road, West Palm Beach, Florida, has returned home after hospitalization, but continues in constant pain. His days are brightened by cards or by visits from Sir Knights of Boston Commandery.

## KNIGHTS TEMPLAR EYE FOUNDATION INC.

This Foundation is sponsored by the Grand Encampment K. T. of the U. S. A. It is efficiently organized and rapidly developing into what many believe is destined to be one of the great philanthropies. Its objectives - research, treatment and hospitalization of diseases or injuries to the eye in an effort to prevent blindness.

This service is available to anyone, regardless of race, creed, color, age, sex or national origin, and the treatment of patients is free and limited to those unable to pay.

Any Sir Knight knowing any person to whom we may be of service in this great work, please contact your Commander.

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George Zeolla of Hesperia Lodge & St. Paul's Chapter sponsored by Sir Kt. H. F. Hodgson  
St. Clair E. Downie of Russell Lodge & Menotomy Chapter sponsored by R. E. Sir R. G. Wilson Jr.  
Harry R. Caddes of Gregory Lodge #158 S. D. & Norfolk Chap. sponsored by Sir Kt. R. E. Bates  
Donald W. Smith of Hiram Lodge & Menotomy Chap. sponsored by Rev. C. E. Pedersen  
Carleton M. Rinehart of Meridian Lodge & Menotomy Chapter sponsored by Sir Kt. C. E. Kierstead Jr.

## ANNUAL INSPECTION

6:00 P. M. Short Form Opening  
 6:45 P. M. Dinner. NO Charge for Members; Guests \$2.00  
 7:45 P. M. Forming of Lines  
 8:00 P. M. SHARP. Reception of Inspecting Officer  
 Em. Sir William F. West  
 Grand Senior Warden  
 assisted by  
 Em. Sir Saunders W. Spooner  
 Deputy Grand Warder  
 Official Count - Inspection & Review - Closing



Sir Knights: Won't YOU sponsor an application from one of the following chapters of eligible candidates for our April or May Conclaves?

#### PROSPECTS FOR BOSTON COMMANDERY IN ST. ANDREW'S CHAPTER

Name	Address	Royal Arch	Sponsor	Blue Lodge
Ralph T. Baum	12 Grove Street, Boston 14	March, 1959	MacWilliam	Middlesex
Kenneth E. LeFebvre	491 Huntington Ave., Boston	March, 1959	MacWilliam	Loyalty
Alfred A. MacFarland	57 Londonderry Rd., Framingham	"	MacWilliam	Middlesex
Everett E. Cooke	142 St. Paul St., Brookline	Dec., 1958	MacWilliam	Beth-Horon
John W. Draper	415 Dedham Ave., Needham	Dec., 1958	MacWilliam	Soc. Harmony
Arthur M. McCann	55 Edison Avenue, Dedham	"	MacWilliam	Constellation
Earl Powers	132 West Adams St., Somerville	"	MacWilliam	Somerville
Edgar W. Rice	411 Linden St., Wellesley Hills	"	C. Linscott	Boston Univ.
William J. Whitley	41 Vernon Street, Somerville	"	G. VanTassel	Zetland
Alton Eugene Briscoe	36 Prichard Ave., Somerville	Pending	Edwin Chase	Faith
Robert M. Libby	24 Larch Street, Islington	"	MacWilliam	Constellation
John Reid	1009 Middle Street, Weymouth	"	MacWilliam	Orphans Hope
William H. Brackett	151 Ridge Ave., Newton Centre	March, 1958	MacWilliam	Norumbega
John William Grundy, Jr.	21 Reed Street, Milton	"	MacWilliam	Milton
Kenneth MacLeod	1859 Columbus Ave., Roxbury	"	H. Ferguson	Eliot
Thomas Arthur Mullaney	224 Lyman Road, Milton	"	MacWilliam	Rural
Robert Goud Dow	178 Florence Street, Melrose	Dec., 1957		Lynnfield
David M. Johnston	421 Bedford Street, Lexington	"	Marshall	Zetland
William W. Slavinsky, Jr.	22 Essex Street, Cambridge	"		Amicable
Wallace M. Yates	262 Blue Hill Ave., Milton	June, 1957	Wilkins	Loyalty
Harold A. Blum	67 Lake Shore Drive, Westwood	"	Larssen	Constellation
Pomell L. Woodcock	3 Loreno Road, Jamaica Plain	"	Wilkins	Loyalty
William Dootson	249 Hyde Park Ave., Jamaica Pl	March, 1957	Wilkins	Loyalty
Kenneth C. Arnold	1017 Canterbury St., Roslindale	Dec., 1956		
Donald M. Hampton	188 Durnell Avenue "	Dec., 1956		

#### ST. PAUL'S CHAPTER

Charles M. Shriner	29 Pickwick Road, West Newton	Pending	Dana Seiler	Wellesley
William B. Shriner	Greystone Road, Dover	Pending	Dana Seiler	Wellesley
Philip P. Bryant	625 River Street, Mattapan	Nov., 1957	R. Dennis	Macedonian
George C. Cummings	164 N. Beacon St., Brighton	June, 1957	Al. Keddy	Bethesda
John B. Townsend	54 Northgate Rd., Wellesley	Dec., 1956	Zolner	Jos. Webb
Norman J. Cyphers	20 Elm Street, Wellesley Hills	Dec., 1956	Zolner	Wellesley
John H. Arthur	71 Oak Street, Milton	Dec., 1956	Wardrop	Macedonian

#### ST. MATTHEW'S CHAPTER

Allan E. Webber	14 Bow Street, Wellesley	Jan., 1957		Wellesley
Govin C. Ward	7 Tucker Street, Milton	Feb., 1958	R. Nevins	
Nicholas Zeferakis	824 E. Third St., S. Boston	Feb., 1958	C. Shalabey	
John D. Campbell	24 Natalie Avenue, Melrose	Pending	A. Campbell	Wyoming

#### DORCHESTER CHAPTER

Elmer A. King, Jr.	613 Bennington St., E. Boston	Jan., 1959	Peter Lane	Baalbec
William H. Dykstra	24 Neptune Road., E. Boston	Jan., 1959	J. Sirios	Baalbec
Cyrus H. Kemp	18 Fayette Street, Newton	Oct., 1957	J. Sirios	Baalbec
Charles E. Sutton	677 Dudley Street, Dorchester	June, 1956	C. Whittem	Union
Joseph W. Kaar	15 Edge Hill Rd., E. Braintree	June, 1956	B. Emery	Panama Canal Zn
C. Roy Hilchey	200 Quincy Street, Dorchester	June, 1956	C. Williams	Union
Robert E. Fraser	68 Millet Street, Dorchester	March, 1956	W. Clifton	Rabboni
Kenneth G. Beer	68 Millet Street, Dorchester	"	"	"

#### ROSLINDALE CHAPTER

Charles A. Vokes	21 Greenhood St., E. Dedham	June, 1958	Paul Wills	Prospect
Irving N. MacKenzie	16 Glenellon Rd., West Roxbury	"	Fran Brown	W. Roxbury
Oswald A. Marsh	16 Royce Road, Allston	"	Fran Brown	W. Roxbury
Lennart L. Johnson	Hanson	"	Osca Nelson	Wompatuck
Albert W. Ball	27 Chestnut Road, W. Roxbury	"	Albion Augusta	Prospect
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Work 8:00 P. M.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross  
(in full form)

Entitled:  
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Walter G. Smith Jr.                      Henry R. Jannergren  
Edward A. Loring                      George Zeolla  
Thomas L. Harris                      St. Clair E. Downie  
and such others as may be eligible

Order of Malta

Such Companions as shall have received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr. Recorder                      Howard L. MacOdrum, Commander

Rehearsal: Monday April 13, 1959                      Officers, Guards, and Cast.

Inspection March 18

Your Commander is deeply appreciative of the cooperation and support of the Officers, Guards, and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery who made possible a most successful Annual Inspection on Wednesday March 18, 1959, with 310 loyal Sir Knights present for the count and an official mark of 10 minus. It was an evening of which New England's largest, oldest, and best Commandery may well feel proud.

Norton Wilson Cann received the Order of Malta on Monday Feb. 23 through the courtesy of St. Johns Commandery of Bangor, Maine. He was knighted on March 16. Harry Rankin Caddes, son-in-law of Sir Kt. R. E. Bates, and who was elected on March 18 to receive the Orders, has now received unexpected work assignment in California. Accordingly, through the courtesy of Newburyport Commandery he received the Order of the Red Cross and the Order of Malta on March 19; then on March 26 through courtesy of Jerusalem Commandery he received the Order of the Temple at Fitchburg.

Grand Commandery Ball

On Friday evening April 10, 1959 at 8 P. M. at the Hotel Statler-Hilton, sponsored by the Presiding Councils Club, and with our own Rt. Em. Alfred C. Blake Grand Commander as Honorary Chairman, the annual Grand Commandery Ball will be held this year in honor of Rt. Em. Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr. of Boston Commandery. The evening will be featured by a Review, Grand March, Drill Competition, Entertainment, and Dancing. Tickets at \$3.50 a couple may still be obtained from Sir Kt. George Locus.

CANDIDATES

Our April Conclave will mark the opening of the closing rush of the current Templar year for candidates. Have YOU sponsored a new Sir Knight for 1959? Candidates have been sponsored by the following 24 Sir Knights:

G. Locus 4, H. F. Hodgson 3, R. G. Wilson Jr. 3, F. P. Linscott 2, H. L. MacOdrum 2, A. MacWilliam 2, R. E. Bates, J. C. Bayley, H. C. Budreau, A. di Bicari, C. D. Harrington, G. W. Hemenway, H. A. Horn, H. Keumurian, C. E. Kierstead Jr., R. Larson, C. E. Pedersen, W. J. Rhodes, H. B. Robertson, B. S. A. Stenmark, H. G. Stewart, W. C. Sutherland, and C. J. Wilkins, with one affiliation sponsored by F. W. L. Miles.

Get YOUR name on an application in time for ballot on April 15. Red Cross and Malta on April 15, with the Order of the Temple on May 20.

In checking membership rolls for our Inspection Count your Recorder was interested to note the names of living Sir Knights in Boston Commandery whom he has been privileged to sponsor. No less than 71 in number, they include the following: H. S. Anderson, L. A. Anderson, A. Andrews, C. J. Bandoian, G. B. Barner, D. A. Barr, J. C. Bayley, L. Boghosian, R. S. Bowers, D. Boyajian, R. W. Brown, J. S. V. Cammisa, N. W. Cann, E. P. Carver Jr., R. D. Chausse, P. D. Chase, C. B. Crisp, C. H. Curry Jr., L. Curtis, E. G. Derby, A. I. Drew, J. E. Eaton, F. B. Ells, A. J. Farin, A. R. Favor, C. J. Garland, C. O. Gerlotte, P. J. Georgian, J. A. Godoy, E. Griffin, O. H. Grimm, W. G. Heyd, E. W. Johanson, A. E. Larsson, W. D. Laundrie, H. B. Leggee, C. E. Lewis, G. Locus, G. Locus Jr., W. C. Lombard, H. A. Lyman, C. F. MacDonald, J. Manlich, W. M. McNaught, H. C. McStay, F. W. L. Miles, R. L. Morrison, P. A. Northrup, F. G. Parkas, M. A. Piroumian, J. S. Ritchie, H. Richter, A. H. Ross, F. R. Russell, J. Santoro, A. O. Shallna, W. J. Shannon, T. E. Shasta, G. J. Sherrard Jr., D. B. Steele, W. E. Surridge, A. E. Thompson, S. J. Thorup, C. B. Turner, E. L. Turner, R. A. Tyler, M. L. Westenberg, F. M. Williams, G. A. Wilson, Jr., and R. G. Wilson 3'rd. A salute from your Recorder to every Sir Knight on the list!



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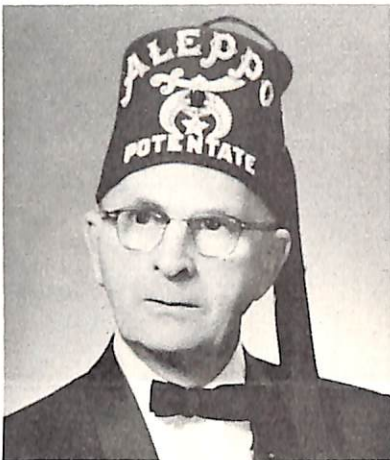
Business Meeting

Immediately after opening.

Ballot on Candidates

Work

Order of the Temple



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Entitled:

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|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Edward A. Loring      | St. Clair E. Downie  |
| Jay M. Finn           | Donald W. Smith      |
| Ross M. Martin        | Carleton M. Rinehart |
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Rehearsal Monday May 18

SHRINE NIGHT

Your Commander has designated Wednesday, May 20, 1959, as Aleppo Temple Shrine Night in honor of our own Sir Knight

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Eminent Commander 1941-1942

Each Noble of Aleppo Temple is requested to wear his Shrine fez at dinner (The famous Aleppo Temple Chanters will accompany the Potentate) Em. Sir Duncan will knight our candidates for the Order of the Temple.

SPECIAL NOTICE

At our Stated Conclave on Wednesday June 17'th (Bunker Hill Day) Boston Commandery will work all three Orders on Candidates then eligible. This is YOUR opportunity to sign up that busy friend, neighbor, or business associate to receive ALL the Orders in Templary in one day. "Bear ever in mind that the prosperity of your Commandery will as much depend on your support and obedience as on the assiduity, fidelity, and wisdom of your Commander." Our Eminent Commander has given unsparingly of his time and efforts to assure Boston Commandery an active and successful Templar year. Won't YOU make that special extra effort to assure him one more candidate for June 17?

Action on Dues June 17'th

Are YOU one of 148 out of 1205 Sir Knights whose dues for 1959 are unpaid?

Knights Templar Ball at Statler Hotel

A real Templar salute to those valiant Sir Knights who organized our Drill Team to qualify as one of the 5 entries in the special prize drill at the Knights Templar Review and Ball on April 10 at the Statler Hotel. Representing Boston Commandery our boys finished second by a single point. Our own Em. Sir Alfred C. Blake as Grand Commander of Knights Templar of Massachusetts & Rhode Island was Honorary Chairman and received our Recorder as Guest of the Evening. Presentation of special service plaque to Rt. Em. Sir Wilson was made by the Presiding Councils Association, and also a large photograph of the Second Platoon of the Arab Patrol of Aleppo Temple alligned in the figure "4" was presented to Rt. Em. Sir Wilson in recognition of his membership in the Second Platoon at #4 position since 1920. Special exhibition drill was presented by the Platoon.

Membership in Boston Commandery Drill Squad included Sir Knights Frank E. Brown, John Coulter, Max Fischer, George R. Foskitt, G. de Garabedian, Cecil E. Hall, Ralph Libby, Steven V. Ladas, John Payntor, William J. Rhodes, John E. Ronbeck, Herbert T. Wadman, George W. Wilkinson, and Robert B. Wilton.

Special Escort of the Rt. Em. Grand Commander under the command of our Captain of the Guard Rowland P. Crook were F. W. L. Miles, H. Richter, Clyde Tyler, L. S. Hibbard, Harold Hodgson, John Christensen, William A. Walker, and H. Thomas Lambert.



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Wednesday - June 17, 1959 - at 2:30 P.M.

Annual Meeting

- Ballot on Candidates
- Reports of Committees
- Annual Election of Officers
- Final Action on Delinquents

WORK

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in full form, & the Order of Malta

Entitled

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and such others as may be eligible

ORDER OF THE TEMPLE

Such as shall have received the Orders of Red Cross & Malta

Members \$1.50    Lobster Dinner & Entertainment at 6:30 P.M.    Guests \$2.50

Reservation by card ONLY

Completion of the Order of the Temple

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr., Recorder      Howard L. MacOdrum, Commander

Rehearsal Monday June, 15 at 5:45 P.M.

Officers, Red Cross Team, and Guards  
N.B. On June 17'th make-up men will be ready for Red Cross cast at 1:30 P.M.



Eminent Commander  
Howard I. MacOdrum

Sponsors of candidates balloted upon or receiving the Order of the Temple during the current Templar year are as follows: H. L. MacOdrum 5, George Locus 4, R. G. Wilson Jr. 4, A. MacWilliam 3, H. F. Hodgson 3, J. C. Bayley 2, A. C. Blake 2, F. P. Linscott 2, F. W. L. Miles 2, H. C. Budreau, W. C. Sutherland, H. B. Robertson, B. S. A. Stenmark, H. Keumurian, G. W. Hemenway, H. A. Horn, R. Larson, H. G. Stewart, C. D. Harrington, A. di Bicari, R. E. Bates, Rev. C. E. Pedersen, C. E. Kierstead Jr., W. J. Rhodes, C. J. Wilkins, J. G. MacKay, J. Laird, E. S. Hall, O. C. Jensen, and R. H. Davis Jr. Also affiliations: F. W. L. Miles, M. E. Higgins.

Why not sign YOUR name as sponsor of an application for our June 17 conclave? All three Orders. Mail to the Recorder AT ONCE.

ALL MASONIC NIGHT JUNE 13.

No less than 35 Commanderies with a total of 886 uniformed Sir Knights have signified their intention to appear as official escort for our Grand Commander Rt. Em. Sir Alfred C. Blake at Aleppo Temple's spectacular display at the Boston Garden on Saturday evening June 13. Boston Commandery will lead, under the direction of our Eminent Commander Howard L. MacOdrum. Illustrious Potentate of Aleppo Temple of the Shrine is our own Em. Sir Frederic B. Duncan.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Boston Commandery bus for All Masonic Night at Boston Garden will leave Masonic Temple 51 Boylston Street at 6 p.m. promptly. Uniformed Sir Knights with tickets will be transported to the Garden and the bus will also be available, directly following close of the ceremonies, at 10 p.m.

Are your current dues paid? Final action on delinquents on June 17.

Apologies are due Em. Sir William M. Heiligmann and Sir Kts. E. F. Nowers, and Fred H. Rixmann whose names were erroneously omitted from list of loyal Sir Knights serving on official Boston Commandery escort at the Templar Ball on April 10.

Correction

Our May notice erroneously deducted a few years from the Masonic life of Em. Sir Frederic B. Duncan present Potentate of Aleppo Temple. He was Eminent Commander 1926-1927 - not 1941 -1942.

IN MEMORIAM

Since printed notice of our February Conclave we regret learning of the following losses from our ranks:

William J. Davidson, Marshfield	Born July 13, 1874	Died July 25, 1957
George W. Franklin, Winchester	Born June 30, 1885	Died Sept, 30, 1958
Harry R. Broadley, Needham	Born May 29, 1891	Died Dec. 28, 1958
Hector C. Vickerson, Somerville	Born Dec. 11, 1898	Died Jan. 7, 1959
Leonard L. Files, Quincy	Born Oct. 21, 1871	Died March 5, 1959
Glenn S. Whitman, Boston	Born Feb. 6, 1891	Died March 25, 1959
Charles W. Kline, California	Born Dec. 27, 1909	Died April 4, 1959
George S. Hosmer, Swampscott	Born Oct. 25, 1879	Died April 5, 1959
Wentworth T. Howland, Auburndale	Born July 14, 1900	Died April 10, 1959
Millard E. Beckstrom of Allston	Born Aug. 15, 1903	Died April 11, 1959
Leon W. Rand, Brookline	Born Sept. 19, 1879	Died April 15, 1959

Sir Knights of Boston Commandery:

As we draw near to this last Conclave of the Templar year 1959 I wish to express my deep appreciation to the officers, guards, ritualistic cast, and all the Sir Knights of Boston Commandery, for a most pleasant and fruitful year in the history of our great Commandery. I feel I have received most loyal and helpful support as your Eminent Commander, and I am especially grateful for the active cooperation of those fine Sir Knights who sponsored candidates and thus assured a successful result. I wish you all a most enjoyable summer, and urge each to make every effort to assure your new officers another successful year in 1960.

Fraternally yours in Templary.

Howard L. MacOdrum, Eminent Com mander



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Reading of Records and Annual Reports - Completion of Annual Meeting

Ballot on Candidates

- Earl A. Umlah of Brookline sponsored by Em. Sir H. L. MacOdrum
- Girard N. Jones of Medford sponsored by Sir Kt. George Locus
- Gilman F. Silva of Boston sponsored by Sir Kt. George Locus

Action on the following By Law Amendments proposed June 17, 1959:

- 1. To amend Article 2 Section 2 of the By Laws of Boston Commandery by striking out the same and substituting in place thereof the following: Section 2. The Annual Conclave shall be held at the Stated Conclave in September, except that the election of officers shall be held at the Stated Conclave in June and they shall be installed at the Annual Meeting in September.
- 2. To amend Article XI Section 8 by striking out the third and final sentence and inserting in place thereof the following: A newly admitted member shall pay no dues to the Commandery for the Templar year during which he receives the Order of the Temple.

Dinner and Entertainment at 6:30 P. M.

By reservation ONLY.

Public Installation of Officers at 8:00 P. M.

- Rt. Em. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr. Installing Officer
- Em. Sir John Reid Deputy Grand Warder
- Rev. Sir Roger Peck Cleveland Prelate

Attest: Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr., Recorder Howard L. MacOdrum, Commander

\* IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT \*

Due to the fact this is a public installation, it is absolutely necessary for proper planning, that reservations be made in advance, accompanied by check. All tickets must be prepaid. Members and wives of members \$2 each; Guests \$3 each. Candidates whose applications have been received by the Recorder by Sept. 14 are invited without charge, with lady, as guests of the Commander. Fill out and return the enclosed reservation, with check, in stamped envelope at once. Reservations must be received by the Recorder at 51 Boylston Street not later than Monday Sept. 14.

Boston Commandery was well represented in the outstanding parade at Leominster on Sunday, June 21, 1959 celebrating the 100th anniversary of Wilder Lodge. With 6 bands, including that of Aleppo Temple of the Shrine, and with over 1,000 in line led by uniformed Knights Templar, the route of the parade led to Doyle Field Stadium and a special outdoor service. Our own Rt. Em. Sir Alfred C. Blake participated as Grand Commander of Knights Templar, and Em. Sir James C. Bayley as Grand Master of Royal and Select Masters. Em. Sir Howard L. MacOdrum with Em. Sir C. D. Harrington, and Sir Knights R. S. Andrews, Roland Crook, Clyde Tyler, J. Christensen and Ralph Thomas represented Boston Commandery. Our Recorder acted as Chief Marshall, and also accepted an emergency assignment as Speaker of the Day substituting for the Rev. Ralph W. Sockman of N. Y. whose plane was unfortunately grounded.

CANDIDATES WANTED

Your new Commander counts on each individual Sir Knight, employed or residing in Metropolitan Boston, - to do his best to present one application for our autumn classes. If YOU think the effort of any single Sir Knight is unimportant, read the following!

WHO MAKES A COMMANDERY A SUCCESS?

Svsn though my typswritsr is an old modsl, it works quits wlll xcspt for ons of ths ksys. I havs wishsd many timss that it worksd psrfctly. It is trus that thsrs ars forty six ksys that function wlll snough, but just ons ksy not working makss ths diffsrnecs.

Somstimss it sssms to ms that our commandsry is soms- what liks my typswritsr — not all ths ksy psopls ars working propsrly.

You may say to yoursslf, "Wsl, I am only ons psrson. I won't maks or brsak ths commandsry." But it doss maks a diffsrnecs bscauss a commandsry to bs sffctivs nssds ths activs participation of svsry psrson.

So, ths nsxt tims you think you ars only ons psrson and that your sfforts ars not nssdsd, rmsmsbr my typswritsr and say to yoursslf, "I am a ksy psrson in ths commandsry, and I am nssdsd vsry much."

TEAR OFF AND MAIL

R. G. Wilson Jr. Recorder  
51 Boylston St., Boston, Mass

The enclosed check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ to order Boston Commandery covers:(Please check)

- 1. Member's ticket @ \$2 \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Ticket for lady of Member @ \$2 \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. A total of \_\_\_\_\_ guest tickets @ \$ 3 \_\_\_\_\_

Public installation officers of Boston Commandery Wednesday Sept. 16, 1959.  
Dinner at 6:30 P. M. Paid tickets distributed Ionic Hall 6:15 P. M. on Sept 16.  
(The above must be received not later than Monday Sept. 14)

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Work

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

Eligible:

Paul T. Souliotis	William J. Slavinsky Jr.
Francis D. Hatch	Earl A. Umlah
Nelson E. Bragg	Girard N. Jones
Thomas L. Harris	Gilman F. Silva
Maurice B. Rothrock	Walter H. Webster

Robert H. Johnson

and such others as may be elected and qualified.

Dinner and Entertainment

Members \$1.50	6:15 P.M.	Guests \$2.50
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By reservation ONLY.

Attest: Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr., Recorder      George Locus, Commander

Monday, Oct. 19, 1959 Rehearsal: Officers, Guards, & Degree Teams

Special Notice

On Friday, Nov. 13 St. Paul's Chapter, holding a Business Man's Class, will confer three degrees, and on Tuesday, Nov. 17 candidates will receive the Royal Arch Degree. Our Stated Conclave is on Wednesday, Nov. 18. Companions of St. Paul's Chapter are urged to take due notice and govern themselves accordingly. Support your new Commander with a REAL class of candidates.

Last Spring, following Aleppo Temple's annual All Masonic Night at the Boston Garden, your Recorder received an interesting letter well worth sharing. It closed as follows:

"We have many different kinds of Masons. 1. There is the Belly Mason. He is a big genial fellow who will tell you that at Omega Lodge they are going to serve chicken Wednesday night. Over at Upper 10 Lodge they are going to have lobster salad Friday night; over at Winona Lodge they are going to have oyster stew Saturday night, etc. He is a good fellow to sit beside at banquets for you can coal on all you want to with a clear conscience because you know he will outdo you. He tells you to help yourself and then push the platter as far away as you can so when the waiters come in with seconds they will see the wide open space in front of you and instinctively set the fresh platter down. 2. We have the Growler. He doesn't come to meetings because the lodge is run by a clique. Of course it is. Come on down. We want YOU in the clique. 3. Then there is Freezie. He comes to lodge once a year and is sore because we don't fall all over him and he sees too many strangers among the newer members. They have been trying to get him to be Worshipful Master for years, but he "can't see it." 4. There is the Rubber Boot Mason. His name is Connolly, Donnolly, Murphy or Flynn, Flaherty, Garrity, O'Brien or Glynn. He figuratively put on a pair of boots and wandered away from another church to join the Masons. Usually a regular attendant. 5. Then comes Fuzzy. He is a little man with a baby face and tender hands. He has the square and compass on his pin, ring and watch fob. He spends most of his time at home with Mother, Sister, and Wife. His only "dissipation" is going to lodge meetings. His wife made him a Christmas present of the initiation fee, and his Mother and Sister gave him a present of a check to cover his life dues. A very nice, cozy little guy who takes his Masonry seriously and is very careful not to talk about it outside for fear of cowans and eavesdroppers. 6. Then we have the Hen Mason -- sometimes known as the Badge Chaser. You never see him at Blue Lodge, but he attends 100% at Eastern Star meetings and loves to think of himself as the Daddy of his Chapter. So it goes, but all in all they are a bunch of mighty good fellows. If there are fault finders among us, the answer is, -- "What have YOU done to help make it better?"

I cannot suggest any improvement in the way you are handling the Annual Masonic Festival. Ninety percent of the work you put in is work that does not show and is therefore not appreciated by the thoughtless ones. But Cheer Up!

You may remove my name from the list next year so as to give some other good Mason a chance to go, that he would otherwise miss. It is a WONDERFUL DISPLAY."



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Robert H. Johnson  
Frank W. Ryan  
John Costa

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NOTE - Last month 110 made reservations; 144 showed up!

Please return card!

WORK 8 PM  
Order of the Temple

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr., Recorder                      George Locus, Commander

Monday Nov. 16, 1959 Rehearsal all officers and guards. Full form  
opening and Order of the Temple. Bring Rituals.

Wednesday Dec. 16, 1959 Christmas Party. No work. All sponsors of  
new applications received by December 16 will  
be our guests.

Congratulations

To our Prelate Rev. Sir Kt. Charles E. Pedersen installed as Worshipful  
Master of Hiram Lodge in Arlington on Saturday, October 31, 1959.

FRANK C. KENNEY of Orange, N. J.  
Born May 13, 1866 - Knighted Sept. 26, 1906  
Died April of 1958

ALFRED H. DOWNING of East Boston  
Born Nov. 27, 1875 - Knighted Sept. 26, 1906  
Died Jan. 27, 1959

FRANCIS S. COBB of Dedham  
Born July 8, 1873 - Knighted Dec. 19, 1900  
Died May 15, 1959

RALPH C. BUSH of Middleboro  
Born Feb. 26, 1888 - Knighted Jan. 18, 1914  
Died May 27, 1959

WARREN E. KELL of Boston  
Born Dec. 19, 1893 - Knighted June 17, 1925  
Died June 18, 1959

FRED H. LINCOLN of Quincy  
Born Oct. 17, 1876 - Knighted Feb. 17, 1897  
Died June 20, 1959

FRED H. WORKS of West Townsend  
Born Nov. 7, 1888 - Knighted Nov. 17, 1920  
Died July 13, 1954

GUSTAVUS F. HALL of Cautauget  
Born Dec. 10, 1882 - Knighted May 17, 1916  
Died July 17, 1959

HAROLD H. TODD of Wellesley  
Born Jan. 4, 1895 - Knighted Dec. 20, 1944  
Died Aug. 27, 1959


JUSTIN A. DUNCAN of Winthrop  
Born Nov. 3, 1877 - Knighted August 8, 1918  
Died Sept. 6, 1959

MELVIN L. HUGHES of Hudson  
Born Nov. 24, 1888 - Knighted Nov. 16, 1921  
Died Sept. 10, 1959

PETRUS J. VAN BAARDA of Medford  
Born May 28, 1881 - Knighted Feb. 15, 1911  
Died Sept. 16, 1959

FREDERICK W. DAMON of Cambridge  
Born Dec. 1, 1873  
Died Sept. 20, 1959

ELMER C. REED of Belmont  
Born Aug. 6, 1873 - Knighted Sept. 23, 1917  
Died Sept. 23, 1959



**Knights Templar**  
By Sir Knight Edgar A. Guest  
Three by three in line they come  
Courteous men of Templardom!  
Christian men who've bowed  
the knee  
At the cross of Calvary,  
Each with dedicated sword  
To the glory of the Lord,  
Guarding still the faith they hold  
As was done in days of old.  
Far their history trails away  
To the dark and bloody day  
When the Christians made their  
stand  
In the troubled Holy Land  
And the followers of the Christ  
Ruthlessly were sacrificed.  
There amid the inky gloom  
Shone the Templar's spotless plume.  
Now the need for strife has gone,  
Still the Templars follow on,  
Though their swords in silence  
sleep.  
Still the faith of old they keep,  
Still beneath their glittering arch  
Candidates for knighthood march  
And by taper and by sword  
Pledge Allegiance to the Lord.  
Templars all, my hand I wave,  
Be you steadfast, be you brave!  
Old the order! Old the need  
For the valiant Christian's deed.  
Bigotry no more holds away,  
But for valiant knights today  
And for Christian gentlemen,  
Still the need is now, as then.

Sir Knights should promptly notify our Commander or Recorder of illness  
or deaths of any Sir Knights.



**BOSTON COMMANDERY, NO. 2, KNIGHTS TEMPLAR**  
**ORGANIZATION 1959-1960**

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State Flag Bearer . . . . . SIR HAROLD A. HORN  
Color Guard . . . . . SIR JOHN CHRISTENSEN  
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Hospitality . . . . . EM. SIR CHARLES D. HARRINGTON  
Tactician . . . . . EM. SIR JAMES C. BAYLEY

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SIR ROWLAND D. CROOK

*Lieutenant of the Guard*

SIR FRANK E. BROWN

*Guards, Escort and Red Cross Team*

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\*E. Sir George Thomas Wiley 1923-25  
E. Sir Thomas Davidson 1925-26  
\*E. Sir Frank Oscar Clark 1925-27  
E. Sir Frederick B. Duncan 1926-27  
E. Sir Amos W. Crooks 1926-27  
E. Sir Henry E. Keough 1927-28  
\*E. Sir Charles Lyman Hamilton 1927-29  
\*E. Sir Francis E. Homer 1928-29  
E. Sir Harold A. Budreau 1929-30  
E. Sir John R. Vaughan 1929-30  
\*E. Sir William Parker Bullard 1929-31  
E. Sir Clarence N. Marsden 1931-32  
\*E. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson 1931-33  
E. Sir Frederick T. Thornton 1932-33  
E. Sir Hans C. Kleemann 1932-33  
E. Sir S. Franklin Bell 1933-34  
E. Sir William A. Odell 1933-35  
\*E. Sir Elmer Granville Page 1933-35  
E. Sir Gustave A. Schlaug 1934-35  
\*E. Sir Frederick W. Alexander 1935-36  
E. Sir T. James Ferguson 1935-36  
E. Sir John Axel Johnson 1935-37  
E. Sir Clifford L. Erving 1936-37  
E. Sir James Gilman Barnes 1937-38  
\*E. Sir Walter L. James 1937-38  
RT. E. Sir Robert G. Wilson, Jr. 1938-40  
\*E. Sir John B. DeKorte 1938-40  
E. Sir Stephen E. Kirkpatrick 1939-40  
\*E. Sir Lorin Elliott Lewis 1940-41  
E. Sir Walter Earl Duncan 1941-42  
E. Sir James S. W. Rogers 1942-44  
E. Sir Frank Brown Ellis 1944-46  
E. Sir Wallace E. Crowley 1946-47  
E. Sir Fred H. Wilcke 1946-48  
RT. E. Sir Alfred Colcord Blake 1947-49  
E. Sir Herman C. McStay 1949-51  
E. Sir William M. Heilgmann 1951-52  
E. Sir James C. Bayley 1952-54  
E. Sir John Reid 1954-56  
E. Sir Charles D. Harrington 1956-58  
E. Sir Howard L. MacOdrum 1958-59

\*Deceased

*Honorary Member*

Most Worshippful

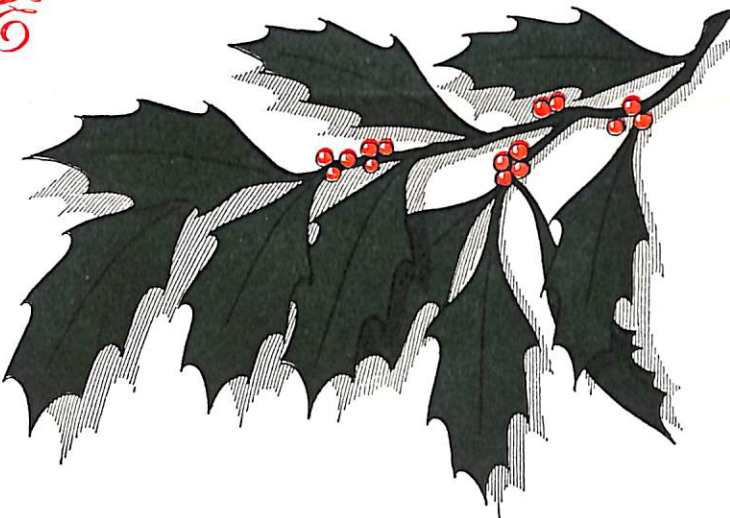
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\*RT. E. Sir Henry Fowle 1802-24  
\*RT. E. Sir Robert Lash 1824-25  
\*RT. E. Sir John James Loring 1825-27  
\*RT. E. Sir Abraham Annis Dame 1827-30  
\*RT. E. Sir Edward Asa Raymond 1830-32  
\*E. Sir Thomas Power 1832-33  
\*RT. E. Sir John Hews 1833-35  
\*E. Sir Gilbert Nurse 1835-36  
\*RT. E. Sir John Flint 1836-38  
\*RT. E. Sir Charles W. Moore 1838-39  
\*RT. E. Sir Daniel Harwood 1839-41  
\*RT. E. Sir Ruel Baker 1841-42  
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\*RT. E. Sir Winslow Lewis 1844-46  
\*RT. E. Sir John Rufus Bradford 1846-48  
\*E. Sir Samuel Pearce 1848-50  
\*RT. E. Sir Daniel Harwood 1850-57  
\*RT. E. Sir William Ellison 1857-61  
\*E. Sir John Kettell Hall 1861-64  
\*E. Sir Wyzeman Marshall 1864-66  
\*E. Sir Charles Chase Dame 1866-67  
\*E. Sir Charles Edward Powers 1867-69  
\*E. Sir William Sayward 1869-71  
\*E. Sir Henry Endicott 1871-73  
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\*E. Sir Samuel Mason, Jr. 1875-77  
\*E. Sir James Humphreys Upham 1877-79  
\*E. Sir Jacob Francis Lotts 1879-81  
\*E. Sir John Lindsay Stevenson 1881-83  
\*E. Sir Edwin Wright 1883-84  
\*E. Sir Frederick Towne Comee 1884-86  
\*RT. E. Sir Eugene H. Richards 1886-88  
\*E. Sir James Mellen Gleason 1888-90  
\*E. Sir Eugene Alexander Holton 1890-92  
\*E. Sir Leonard Bailey Nichols 1892-93  
\*RT. E. Sir Charles Ira Litchfield 1893-95  
\*E. Sir Henry Howland Litchfield 1895-97  
\*E. Sir William Badger Lawrence 1897-99  
\*E. Sir John Gilman Waite 1899-00  
\*E. Sir John Henry Bowker 1900-02  
\*E. Sir Rinaldo Buren Richardson 1902-04  
\*E. Sir Richard Arey Atwood 1904-06  
\*E. Sir Charles Stanhope Damrell 1906-08  
\*RT. E. Sir James Stone Blake 1908-10  
\*E. Sir Jesse Edwin Ames 1910-12  
\*E. Sir Albert R. Stedfast 1911-12  
\*E. Sir Leonard Warren Ross 1912-18  
E. Sir Frederick Claridge Graves 1913-14  
\*E. Sir Joseph Totten Paul 1914-16  
\*E. Sir George Urban Bauer 1916-18  
\*E. Sir Charles William Howard 1918-20  
\*E. Sir Walter Bradley Tripp 1920-21  
\*E. Sir Wm. J. Kavanaugh 1921-22  
\*RT. E. Sir Frederick H. Briggs 1921-23

*Boston*  
*Commandery*



*Extends*  
*Knightly*

*Christmas Greetings*



## STATED CONCLAVE OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, 51 Boylston Street, Boston

Wednesday - December 16, 1959 - 6 P. M.

Business Meeting - No Work

Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Recorder

George Locus, Commander

Christmas Party at 6:30 P. M.

Members \$1.50

RESERVATION by card ONLY

Guests \$2.50

N. B. Each Sir Knight is requested to bring a gift of approximately \$1 value for basket in banquet hall.

Dec. 14, 1959 Rehearsal officers. Order of the Temple. Also Drill Team.

Jan. 14, 1960 (Thursday) Special rehearsal Red Cross Team.

Special Notice

Saturday, Jan. 16, 1960 the Order of the Red Cross and the Order of Malta, each in full form, will be presented by Boston Commandery and De Molay Commandery. This is the opportunity for which you have been waiting to have your Masonic friend receive all Templar orders within FIVE DAYS.

Order of the Temple at Stated Conclave January 20.

If application is received by the Recorder by December 16 both your candidate and yourself will be guests of Boston Commandery at our December 16 Christmas Party.

GET BUSY

SIGN UP THAT CANDIDATE

DO IT RIGHT AWAY.

Sir Knights desiring to become members of our Drill Team to compete at Grand Commandery Ball please report at Armory 6 P. M. Monday, December 14, 1959. Sir Knights desiring to join Boston Commandery Guards report at Armory 5:30 P. M. Monday, Dec, 14, 1959.

### Congratulations

Em. Sirs James C. Bayley and George Locus have been elected to receive the degrees and become members in Massachusetts Priory #52, Knights of the York Cross of Honor, as past presiding officers in Blue Lodge, Royal Arch Chapter, Council of Royal and Select Masters, and Commandery. Earlier so honored have been Em. Sirs John Reid and Amos W. Crooks. Rt. Em. Sir Robert G. Wilson Jr. was made a Knight in Trinity Priory #5 of Albany, New York in 1951.

### 1960 Dues

Notice of 1960 Dues, billed on August 31, 1959 and "overdue" under our By-Laws as of January 2, 1960, resulted in a most welcome response. Well over two-thirds of our entire membership are square with the books. Second call goes out in January. Are YOUR dues paid?

### Annual Christmas Offering And Good Cheer.

Templary is the new Testament of Masonry. As Christian Knights we have a duty to help the less fortunate. During the joyous Christmas Season it has become the established custom in this, the greatest of all Christian Orders, for each Sir Knight to forward to his Commandery a Holiday contribution to assure some measure of good cheer and good will through our efforts for the lonely Knight, the destitute widow, the helpless orphan. Each Sir Knight financially able to contribute \$1 or more, will surely experience that special Christmas joy that comes with the knowledge that he has helped bring some measure of Yuletide spirit and good cheer and has helped to spread the joy of Christmas outside his own home. This fund is annually expended, under the direction of the Eminent Commander, for the purpose of bringing some measure of happiness into the hearts and homes of the sick, the distressed, and the needy.

Please return your offering PROMPTLY in the enclosed envelope to George Locus, Boston Commandery, 51 Boylston Street, Boston, for direct distribution under the direction of your Commander. If you know of some worthy case please contact the Commander promptly.

Best Wishes for a JOYOUS AND HAPPY CHRISTMAS

To you and your family from your Eminent Commander and Officers of Boston Commandery.

Through the thoughtful courtesy of Rt. Em. Sir John E. Rines we have received a copy of the 125'th Anniversary Program of Boston Commandery dated March 12, 1927, - 32 years ago. Same includes the following history of our Commandery. We would merely add that the first sentinel of Boston Commandery was Sir Kt. William Newman, the patriot who hung the lanterns in the Old North Church as the signal for Paul Revere's famous ride. Also since 1927 we have had 3 additional Grand Commanders making a total of 22. Present membership is 1205. Listed in the 1927 program as Sword Bearer was John E. Cook, Warder, Em. Sir John A. Johnson, Custodian of Candidates Sir Winfield L. Nourse, and Guards Sir Kts. Roland D. Crook, Walter E. Duncan, Max Fischer, B. G. Gillespie, Harold W. Martin, James S. W. Rogers, John M. Stratis, Frank S. Treco, Frank L. Warren and Robert G. Wilson Jr.

### HISTORY OF BOSTON COMMANDERY, KNIGHTS TEMPLAR (March 12, 1927)

The 125'th Anniversary of the establishment of what is now Boston Commandery Knights Templar should fix itself in the mind of every member as one of the most important events in the history of the order in this country.

The ritual in its original form was first exemplified here in America by members of several Irish regiments who were part of the English troops quartered in Boston previous to the Revolutionary War. The first recipients of the ritual work were members of St. Andrews Royal Arch Lodge.

The new Order was successfully kept alive after the departure of the soldiers with their army lodges and after the town had become a component part of a new nation.

Finally on March 12, 1802, ten of these Sir Knights organized what they then termed "Boston Encampment" and from that date until 1806 conferred the "Order of Knighthood" on a number of Companions.

In 1806 it was found desirable to unite with Sir Knights of Rhode Island to form a Grand Encampment of the two states, in an organization now known as the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. When the Boston men found their titles did not agree with those of their Rhode Island brethren, "Boston Encampment" became "Boston Encampment of Knights Templar."

The growth of the organization has been remarkable; the ten members who formed "Boston Encampment" in 1802 had increased to 550 by the time of its 80th anniversary. In 1902, at its 100th anniversary, its membership was 1,000, and today (1927) it is upwards of 1,500. In this period of time it has supplied 19 Grand Commanders of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

As an organization it took prominent parts in the ceremonies of laying the corner stone of Bunker Hill monument on June 17, 1825, the introduction of a public water supply in front of city hall on Sept. 17, 1856; the dedication of the General Joseph Warren Statue on Bunker Hill on June 17, 1857; the laying of the corner stone of the First Masonic Temple at Tremont and Boylston Streets on Oct. 14, 1864, and its dedication on June 24, 1867; the laying of the corner stone of the Boston Post Office on Oct. 16, 1871; the dedication of the Army and Navy monument on Boston Common on Sept. 17, 1871, and the dedication of the monument to our Pilgrim Forefathers at Plymouth on August 1, 1889.